



# CITY OF HALF MOON BAY

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From The Office of  
City Manager

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State Water Resources Control Board  
Division of Water Quality Control  
Grants for Clean Water  
Room 1015, Resources Building  
1416 Ninth Street  
Sacramento, California 95814

Attn: Mr. Larry Walker, Manager

RE: CONCEPT APPROVAL AND CERTIFICATION - MIDCOASTSIDE SUBREGIONAL  
WATER QUALITY CONTROL PROGRAM - PHASE I

Gentlemen:

Under date of June 26, 1973, a letter was addressed to the City of Half Moon Bay from the Bay Area Sewage Services Agency (B.A.S.S.A), with copies going to the Granada and Montara Sanitary Districts. That letter stated in part, the following:

We are concerned that unless concept approval is received for a coordinated facilities program before the end of this fiscal year, your option for such a program may be foreclosed for a year or longer. Of the three communities only Half Moon Bay has submitted a grant application in fiscal 1972-73 which could be used as a basis for seeking conceptual approval for joint facilities. We have requested your staff to submit a rider to the original application and are submitting this letter to document that oral request. The rider should ask for conceptual approval of facilities which would be needed to intertie the three communities.

Last evening, July 27th, the three mentioned Coastside agencies met personally with the B.A.S.S.A. planning committee in an effort to resolve our differences and arrive at a common solution to our sewage problems. As a result of that meeting, we have now reached agreement in concept to a consolidation of our sewage systems, with a common discharge point in Half Moon Bay and/or to the south.

*is now definite plan being prepared*

*Can't give such  
a response unless  
definite proposal  
submitted. We had  
better to then  
submit proposal  
- alt*  
  
*since this was  
submitted so late,  
we will not have time  
to do this & such a  
proposal will have to  
wait until next yr.*

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In direct response to the B.A.S.S.A. letter referred to herein, we are now, jointly, urgently requesting at least concept approval for the fiscal year 1972-73 of a first phase program that will serve to intertie our three communities. This first phase program is outlined below.

STAGE I

Half Moon Bay

- a) Outfall Extension
- b) Reclaimed Water Transmission Line
- c) Subsurface Disposal Pilot Program
- d) Miscellaneous Plant Improvements

Granada Sanitary District

- a) Secondary Treatment (0.5 MGD)
- b) Transport System to Montara Outfall
- c) Miscellaneous Plant Improvements

Montara Sanitary District

- a) Miscellaneous Improvements

STAGE II - All Agencies

- a) Investigation of Methods of a Common Ultimate Disposal Facility *Promises*

STAGE III - All Agencies

- a) Based on Stage II Investigation Results Implement the Ultimate Disposal System *Promises*

Signed this 28th day of June, 1973:

Gerald D. Pera  
Gerald D. Pera

Mayor, City of Half Moon Bay

Richard A. Scholl  
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President, Granada Sanitary District

John H. Withrow  
John H. Withrow

President, Montara Sanitary District

*one agency  
one proposal  
but separate facilities  
(only thing granting approval  
would do would provide gas  
for separate facilities at gran  
and Montara. We would  
not do this w/o separate st*